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IN RE PATENT APPLICATION OF: SAINT-HILAIRE, et al

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PERFORMANCE OF A SCHEDULER

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C., 20231, U.S.A.

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Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This is a response to the First Office Action mailed on January 09 2006. Applicants thank the Examiner for the detailed report and request that this application be amended in the following manner:

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

REPLACEMENT DRAWINGS, sheets 1-5 are attached hereto.

REPLACEMENT SPECIFICATION pages 1-26 are attached hereto, wherein the **TITLE** has been changed as requested by the Examiner.

REMARKS / ARGUMENTS begin on page 16 of this paper.